

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer has fallen over the Interior, and rain has extended from the Coast to Saskatchewan.

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PARLEY NOW DRAWING TO ITS FINISH

Short Plenary Session Hears Reports of Committees Which Are Quickly Adopted

DELEGATIONS ARE BEGINNING TO GO

Premier MacDonald Announces Signing of Three-Power Pact Will Be on April 22

(Associated Press)

LONDON, April 14.—Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald, his iron-grey hair tousled, his workaday spectacles hooked over his ears and his hands full of papers, stood in the corridor today to mark the decision of the London Naval Conference into plenary session at St. James' Palace and rushed through, in twenty-four minutes flat, adoption of technical reports which form the raw material for the London naval treaty.

NOT IN SPOTLIGHT

But the naval conference held the spotlight only briefly in London today, for Mr. MacDonald hurried from St. James' to Parliament to hear the budget speech of Philip Snowden, Chancellor of the Exchequer. The ordinary Briton is the one who paid the additional tax levied on him for income tax than of the nebulous £70,000 saved in British naval expenditures.

Today's was the next to the last plenary naval session as conference plans were to be completed by the foreign treaty next Tuesday, April 22.

The plenary session today was the first, since February 14, and there were casualties in the ranks. Foreign Minister Bland, of France, with eyes half-closed, slouched in the last week some dredging had already been done.

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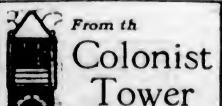
HURRY TO SEED

Farmers in Northwest Saskatchewan Rush to Get in Seed While Moisture Remains

(Associated Press)

SCOTT, Sask., April 14.—Seeding will be general in Northwest Saskatchewan during this week, according to Mr. George D. Matthews, superintendent of the Dominion Experimental Farm at Scott. Work from Bigras to Wadena, near the Alberta border, will be well under way this week, he says. Work on the land is earlier than usual in the district as farmers are making a special effort to seed their grain while there is sufficient moisture to germinate.

There is a trace of rain noted in the Scott area over the week-end, dry conditions prevail. No moisture has been received during April this year, although one inch of precipitation was recorded last month.



Tuesday, April 15

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity—Fresh to strong westerly winds, gradually clearing and colder.

Sun Rises: 5:22 o'clock.

Sun Sets: 7:03 o'clock.

High Tide: 2:43 a.m., 8.5 feet.

Low Tide: 10:38 a.m., 1.8 feet.

The News

Local and Provincial

Meeting at Portland to discuss scheme for proposed northern highway.

Pageant to be feature of May 24

Extension of portion of city watersheds from operation of protective city Act.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—First budget of new British Labor Government increases several taxes and displays large deficit.

New members of delegations are leaving for their

British Government taking stronger steps to put end to breaking of laws in India.

Heavy rains fall in Prairie Provinces, delaying farm work but doing great good to land.

Sports

All major league ball teams to get into action today. Quarter million expected to watch cur- tain go up. Boston Red Sox take American League opener from Washington.

Riot follows Carnes' fight in Ruth. Purse is withheld pending investigation into "fake fight" charges.

Morrison and Linham to head local committee for British Columbia amateur baseball championship. Strong field will take part. Boston Lions defeat Vancouver Lions in exhibition.

Cowles wins third-point lead in B. Wilson trophy match against Victoria Golf Club.

May Be Successor to Lord Balfour



Cinema Fire Is Again Cause of Toll of Deaths

(Associated Press) A LUCATA, Sicily, April 14.—A fire breaking out in a crowded cinema here tonight caused the death or injury of fifteen persons. Three of the injured are in a serious condition. There were many children in the audience. The cause of the fire cannot be immediately learned.

PRAIRES GET SOAKING FROM BIG DOWNPOUR

Hundreds of Thousands of Acres Get Drenching—Power in Two Cities Cut Off

RAIN, SNOW, WINDS DELAY FARM WORK

REGINA, April 14.—April's first downpour last night and today drenched Saskatchewan, covering hundreds of thousands of square miles of dust-coated farm lands. Every part of the province was affected. It was a big rain. In many instances as much as an inch of rain fell. At Anderdon more rain fell on Monday than during the entire 1929 crop season.

There was an inch of rain in Indian Head, while a copious downpour was reported at Swift Current, Weyburn and other points.

Intermittent showers soaked Regina district for more than twenty-four hours. At 2 o'clock this afternoon high winds caused a break on the main transmission line from the power plant. Train traffic, industrial and domestic, was tied up for hours. Service had not been completely restored at a late hour tonight.

WINDS AT MOOSE JAW

MOOSE JAW, April 14.—Whipped by the gusty winds a high tension wire broke at 1 o'clock today. Before the current was turned off five other wires were broken. The last few days and once she auctioned salt at the cotton market.

On the heels of leaders of the band was Mrs. Kamala Devi Chaitanya Naidu, another prominent worker in the campaign. She has been taking a leading part in the passive resistance movement at Bombay the last few days and once she auctioned salt at the cotton market.

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Great Poet Of Russia Is Suicide

Witnesses Tell of Finding Body, Garments and Gun and Views of Scene Shown

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SYSTEMATIC SURVEY IS UNDERTAKEN

Thorough Study of Forest Growth in British Columbia to Be Made by Experts

TWO PARTIES TO OPERATE IN WOODS

The conference on matters affecting forestry, which was held in Ottawa last Fall at the call of Hon. Charles Stewart, and which was attended by Hon. F. P. Burden and Mr. E. C. Manning, assistant chief forester, representing this province, is now bearing fruit to the advantage of the forest survey of British Columbia. The Dominion department is to give the province the advantage of the services of some sixteen men to engage in the survey of the annual growth to be made in the matter of timber in the province.

VALUE OF SURVEY

This latter survey is of special importance in view of the fact that in the work of conservation of the timber wealth of the Dominion it is believed that there should be accurate information available with the end in view of making an effort to balance the utilization of timber resources in keeping with its increase.

At that conference the situation of British Columbia was placed very clearly and it was decided that it was shown that this province, for the time, and some collections of his poetry sold by the hundreds of thousands.

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WESTBOUND TRAIN STRIKES ROCK

C.P.R. Passenger Train Delayed by Accident at Brickett, Near Calgary

CALGARY, April 14.—Crashing against a huge rock, the engine, tender and two coaches of the Canadian Pacific Railway train left heavy injury for Vancouver, a few miles west of Calgary, at 8 o'clock Monday night.

Arthur Norton, engineer of the train, was slightly injured.

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AUCTIONEER DIES

BRANTFORD, Ont., April 14.—Mr. Welby Adams, sixty-five, local livestock expert and auctioneer, very well known as an auctioneer at Winnipeg, Chicago and Toronto in exhibition.

Colwell, a three-point lead in B. Wilson trophy match against Victoria Golf Club,

LEADING MEN IN INDIA ARE SENT TO JAIL

British Government Now Takes Drastic Action Against Breakers of Indian Laws

ARREST OF MAHATMA BELIEVED IMMINENT

Situation Considered to Be Growing More Serious and Calling for Strong Measures

BOMBAY, April 14.—With arrest of two prominent Indian Nationalist leaders in connection with the civil disobedience campaign of Mahatma Gandhi, the situation is believed to be growing more serious and the next event expected is the arrest of Gandhi, although the authorities have thus far been evading this step.

The Rundit Jawaharlal Nehru, President of the All-Indian Congress, today was sentenced to six months' simple imprisonment for violation of the Salt Law while J. M. Scindia, Mayor of Calcutta, was sentenced to six months' rigorous imprisonment on charges of sedition, conspiracy and obstructing the police.

HAILED BY CROWDS

Large crowds surrounded the Nehru home in Nalini where Nehru was met, with sympathizers waving red flags.

Members of the Bombay Congress Committee immediately decided to observe a day of mourning and the Nationalist "war council" decided to send out 500 volunteers as sellers of contraband salt.

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CAR OVER PRECIPICE

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FOREIGN Minister Dino Grandi, of Italy (left), after a stormy meeting with Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, British Foreign Secretary. Reports are that the meeting between the two statesmen was the angriest conversation to which the naval conference has given rise. The Fascist minister fought against the whole policy of trying to bring Great Britain and France together by means of a formula defining Great Britain's obligations under the Locarno Pact.

Pageant With One Thousand Actors to Be Held on May 24

Spectacular Event Will Be Feature of Victoria Day Celebration—Yacht, Horse and Motor Racing, Regatta and Games on Programme

IT is main features, the programme for the "24th of May" celebration, which will extend over several days, was presented last night at a joint meeting of the Junior Chamber of Commerce committee in charge of the event, and a very large and representative gathering of delegates from numerous other organizations interested.

Planned the most interesting attraction will be the "Pageant of the British Empire, in which it is expected that 1,000 performers will participate, all in costumes distinctive of one or other of the many lands and races beneath the flag. School children will

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Delegates Of France Returning

(Associated Press) PARIS, April 14.—Foreign Minister Briand and Jacques Louis Desmazi, Minister of Marine, returned to Paris tonight

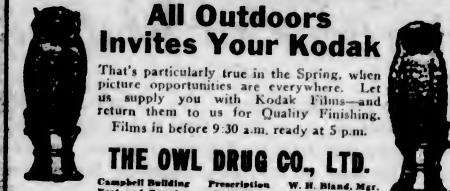
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Solloway, Mills Decision Is Not Yet Made Known

TORONTO, April 14.—Judgment was reserved today in the appeal of the Canadian & American, Toronto mining brokers, against the judges of Justice Middleton and Garrow, in refusing to quash a

search warrant issued by Magistrate Davidson, of Calgary.

A. W. Rogers, representing the Crown, argued that the criminal code was Dominion-wide in its scope except when specifically limited, which exception did not apply to the present case.

When Mr. Rogers concluded his arguments, R. H. Greer, counsel for the appellants, stood up to reply.

Chief Justice Mulock: "There is no reply."

DOMINION IS NOT Affected BY PROPOSALS

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In Great Britain in 1929, automobiles of all kinds and automobile parts were of approximately \$4,500,000, and up to the value of about \$5,300,000. Also, the value of passenger motor cars of \$500 or less was \$805,654 last year as compared with \$420,530 in 1928, this increase was more than wiped out by the falling off in the export of high-class cars.

The McKenna duties provide a tariff of a penny per linear foot on positive films and five pence per linear foot on negative films, general rate, with the preferred rate against Canada one-third less.

The latest figures of Canadian exports of motion picture films to the United Kingdom do not differentiate between the various kinds, but the actual total for 1929 was to the value of \$1,931,156, and the year before \$1,941,464.

Musical instruments bear a 33 1/2 per cent duty, general, and 22 2/9 per cent, Canada exported to the United Kingdom musical instruments to the value of \$37,267 in 1929, but last year it had fallen to \$12,941.

The removal of the McKenna duties would have wiped out the advantage which Canada now has over the United States in the British markets and the products would be allowed in free from both countries.

SAFEGUARDING DUTIES

According to information here, based on Mr. Snowden's announcement, the first of the safeguarding duties which will pass out of existence is that on lace and embroidery. This duty was put on for five years and would end on July 1 next. As Canada does not export this product, with the exception of lace, the duty will affect her. The duty on cutlery comes off on December 22 next.

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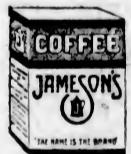
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COUNCIL HAS HEAVY SLATE

QUESTION OF STERILIZATION REVIVED AT YESTERDAY'S MEETING

Home Economics Chair at University of British Columbia Makes Satisfactory Progress

The film industry, sterilization of the feeble minded, the establishment of the home economics course in the University of British Columbia, the county health unit system and the National Council foundation fund furnished the chief subject matter for a full session at the regular monthly meeting of the Local Council of Women yesterday afternoon. A number of minor questions also arose through correspondence. Miss Crease presided.

Miss Llewellyn Thomas gave a summary of conditions in the film industry, and indicated that the American-produced films dominated the field to the almost total eclipse of the British production, and, on the admission of the management of the local movie houses, resulted in the monopoly by American newsreels. Miss Crease also reported that the weekly "news reel" features.

Subsequently Mr. William Grant, of the council committee in favor of Mr. W. Hayes to purify the films, and her motion that the local council express its congratulations and give assurance of its support was endorsed by the meeting.

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A CHANNEL TUNNEL

More for the purpose of providing employment than because of a desire to improve transportation conditions the Channel Tunnel scheme has been resurrected. It has been the subject of a commission which has reported favorably on its construction. The cost is estimated at between £30,000,000 and £40,000,000. The world would take some years, and, if completed successfully, would greatly curtail if not put an end to the cross-Channel ferry services. The proposal is that the tunnel should be built by private enterprise, though it is realized that it has a political significance and certain powers would be exercised by the Government in the event of war.

The Channel Tunnel issue is viewed from a variety of angles. In the consideration given to it the opinion of experts have been secured and these are not all favorable to its construction. For instance, Mr. F. H. Macintosh, a well-known authority on submarine borings, suggests that nothing should be done "until there has been a complete geological investigation and, in the second place, it is absolutely essential, owing to the present lack of knowledge on the stratification of the bed of the straits, to put down submarine borings. The borings, to be effective, should not merely be along the line of the tunnel, but should cover a wide area on each side." Mr. Macintosh says that up to date practically all the geology of the Channel has been confined to the coast lines. Before attempting the construction of a tunnel it would be necessary to plot the series of domes or folds that took place in paleozoic times and their tendency, still continuing, in order to secure information on the structure of the Channel.

Mr. Macintosh predicts difficulties. It may be, he says, that the domes mentioned, such as those near the Goodwins, have had the serious effect of thinning the chalk along the proposed line of the tunnel. Before there was an English Channel, when the Straits of Dover were dry, two rivers ran north and south—the Dour at Dover and the Lydden Spout, near Folkestone were then tributaries of the north flowing river. The latter river Mr. Macintosh names the Rhine Tributary. He says the watershed between those two rivers was what is now the route of the proposed tunnel, and, "at the point where the two main streams started midway in the Channel, a gap has been formed. This gap is shown by the Admiralty soundings, which are here thirty-six fathoms, as against thirty in the area around it. At this point lies directly in alignment with the fault on the south side of the gulf bombment off the coast between Dover and Folkestone, the Lydden Spout and the source of the Drellingour in the Alkham Valley, the presumption is that they are closely related. The important point is that this line is an axis of unrest just about the line of the proposed tunnel. The whole thing is crowded with suspicious circumstances." The foregoing is the reason why Mr. Macintosh and other experts suggest borings so as to ascertain difficulties. If a fissure were encountered it would mean the probable destruction of any Channel Tunnel. Such warnings are an indication that much water will flow through the Straits of Dover before the bed of the English Channel is spanned by a railroad.

CAUSES OF UNEMPLOYMENT

Unemployment in the United States, and perhaps to some extent in other countries as well, is due, first, "to the increasing perfection of the technical processes, and to the implacable routine of the tasks which human beings must still perform." The doctrine in the United States is that the full measure of efficiency is to be expected only from the comparatively young. Experience has proved that a man over fifty years of age, once discharged from his job, is finding it more and more difficult to secure similar employment, or any employment, without a reduction in the wages he previously enjoyed. In 1928 an American writer said: "We are obtaining more and better industrial equipment only at the price of a heavy investment in unemployment and human misery."

In commenting on the foregoing aspect of unemployment in the United States The London Times points out that more than 70 per cent of American bituminous coal is mined by machinery; that the steel companies now produce three times as much pig iron as they did in 1914 with the same crew of men; that a workman using automatic machinery can make 4,000 glass bottles as quickly as he could have turned out 100 by hand twenty-five years ago, and that, as well, "In the factories, on the railways, in the mills and even on the farms labor is devoted to the more and more specialized but less and less skillful tending of machines. In other words, the mechanization of industry is reducing the number of workers."

In answer to all this the claim is made that the process of mechanization "reduces the cost of production and the retail price, which, in turn, increases the demand for commodities, and thus brings about reabsorption of the workers theoretically released and the calling of additional workers into production." The London Times does not regard this as a demonstrable fact. Doubt exists whether or not increased production absorbs the workers. It remains to be seen, says that paper, "how far and how perilously the machine has run ahead of the man, and whether some readjustment of social conditions may not ultimately be necessary." We quote further: "The question drives like rain to the roots of American life. Organized labor in the United States has as yet no answer, save the movement, only now beginning, to write the five-day week into industrial practice, and this will progress slowly, if at all. Meanwhile there is need of machinery for the collection of accurate official data, as a prelude to the legislative treatment of the problem of unemployment which even the most prosperous country on earth cannot indefinitely postpone."

PLANET OR COMET?

Doubts continue to crop up as to the veracity of the Lowell Observatory findings in respect to the "new planet"—Planet X, as it is being called, for it will not be named until such time as a great deal more is known than at present. A South African astronomer has denied that it is a planet at all. Many British astronomers are sceptical, although they all admit that they have great faith in the Lowell observers. All agree that an object at a great distance has been located but little or nothing is known about its orbit. Dr. J. Jackson, of the Royal Observatory, Greenwich, says definitely that from the general statement issued by Lowell Observatory, the object cannot be a minor planet of the ordinary type.

One suggestion advanced is that "Planet X" may be a comet. This is a view with which Dr. Jackson is inclined to coincide; in other words, that it is an object nearer than the predicted planet but moving more rapidly just as a comet near perihelion would move. It is noted that a telegram from Berlin alludes to the discovery as "Comet Lowell," and it is this view which photographic plates in Germany, showing the image have led to this conclusion. Dr. Jackson says that faint, distant comets often look like stars. The "Planet X" is a very distant object. The search conducted by Lowell Observatory for a faint exterior planet is just the kind, Dr. Jackson, to lead to the discovery of distant comets, "which may be fairly numerous but very faint."

The importance of the discovery is not minimized by any astronomer, because whatever "Planet X" is it is an unusual object. There is, however, a tendency to treat it as a comet because it is of a volume only about one-fiftieth of that predicted. It should be noted that Sir Frank Dyson, the Astronomer Royal, supports the official view held at Lowell Observatory. He says: "It appears to be a small planet at about forty-five times the distance of the earth from the sun, and we should imagine from the magnitude given that it must be smaller than the earth."

A telephonic conversation has been carried on between Genoa, Italy, and Australia between Senator Marconi and the president of the Sydney Electric and Radio Exhibition. Following this Senator Marconi pressed a key from a yacht in Genoa harbor and liberated a train of waves from the station in England and those were received practically at the same instant at Rock Bank (Victoria). The impulse was automatically transmitted over Australian territory through 550 miles of line to the Sydney Town Hall, where it caused the discharge of local current into the electric lighting system. In other words, 3,000 impulses were lit from an influence started 10,000 miles away.

LEGEND OF THE LAVENDER

Mother Mary had gone to a running stream To wash her baby's clothes. And she spread them to dry on a little bush That grew by the side of a rose.

A stunted bush—it seemed out of place. 'Mid the wealth of wild flowers gay, No beauty or scent in its spiky leaves, Hanging lifeless and dull and grey.

In loving service Mary sped, And laughed and crooned o'er her son. Then went to bring his little clothes home When the day was nearly done.

But what was this? All dry and white Lay the garments on the ground, While from the stunted, lifeless bush, Sweet fragrance floated round.

No longer lifeless, stunted, grey, Its leaves were a living green, And crowned with spikes of soft mauve flowers, Such as Mary had never seen.

She stooped to pick a perfumed spray, When an angel stood by her side; Twas Gabriel's voice came clear and sweet In the hush of the eventide.

Henceforth this little bush shall be Above all beloved of men, Who shall find its perfume's purity Beyond all mortal ken."

Of all things growing, the lavender Shall bring to the simple, the wise Solace and healing, for it alone Breathes the breath of Paradise."

—Joan B. White in The Scotsman.

STORM OF TIME

I listen to the Past, and hear Great epitaphs fall crashing there In thunderous renoun, Yet through the din of dying names I hear the shower of common names Like small rain, patterg down.

—Gerrish Thurber, in The New York Herald Tribune.

Nothing is so firmly believed as what we least know.—Montaigne.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, at 8 p.m., April 14, 1930.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	trace	46	53
Vancouver	28	46	54
Kamloops	30	46	54
Prince George	32	46	54
Prince Rupert	32	46	54
Atlin	32	46	54
Dawson	4	32	54
Seattle	02	48	54
Portland	02	46	54
San Francisco	40	46	54
Spokane	50	46	54
Los Angeles	54	46	54
Penticton	33	46	61
Vernon	45	57	61
Grand Forks	39	57	61
Crab Creek	28	46	53
Calgary	74	40	44
Edmonton	04	36	40
Swift Current	42	44	44
Prince Albert	trace	28	40
Qu'Appelle	36	44	44
Winnipeg	30	50	54

MONDAY

Maximum 53
Minimum 40
Average 49
Minimum on grass 44

General state of weather: cloudy. Rain, trace.

FORECASTS

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Two-Story Structure Containing Four Suites to Be Erected at Fort St. and Lee Ave.

**PROJECT WILL
COST \$15,000**

A two-story apartment block, containing four suites, will be erected on the northwest corner of Lee Avenue and Fort Street by Mrs. Katherine Appleton, at a cost of \$15,000. The permit for the project being issued yesterday at the City Hall.

Plans prepared by Mr. Percy Fox, architect, show that the exterior of the structure will be of frame and stucco, as already stated in The Colonist, and the entrance to the building will be at 2302 Lee Avenue. A garage on the property will be a garage to accommodate automobiles of the tenants.

The block will have a frontage of fifty feet on Lee Avenue and twenty-four feet on Fort Street. Each of the four suites will consist of a living-room, bedroom, kitchenette, bathroom, hall, linen closet and bathroom.

Mr. John Mozan will be in charge of the contracting work.

A permit has been taken out by Ormonds, Limited, manufacturing confectioners, for a frame and concrete extension of their factory and concrete extension of their storage shed at 235 Russell Street, Victoria West.

1714 and 1716 Davie Street are covered in permits issued to the legal firm of Crease & Crease, agents for the properties. The work will be carried out by Mr. John Foulbister.

Obituary

ATKIN—The funeral of Mrs. Evelyn Constance Wilma Aitken took place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Major Rev. W. Barton officiating. The hymns sung were "On the Resurrection Morning" and "Abide with Me." Among the gathering of sympathizers from Victoria was a delegation from the Lands Department and Civil Servants from the Parliament Buildings. Numerous beautiful floral designs covered the casket and hearse. The pallbearers were Messrs. G. F. Weir, J. J. Galloway, W. S. Latte, Col. French, Vincent McLean and W. L. Woodhouse. The remains were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

WARNING—The death occurred early on Monday morning of George Raymond Waring, aged 70 years. He was a native of Nanaimo, B.C., and a late resident of Vancouver. The remains are resting at the Thomson & Fetterly Funeral Home, pending funeral arrangements from relatives in Vancouver.

PARSONS—The remains of Mrs. Audrey Marie Parsons were laid at rest in Ross Bay Cemetery yesterday morning, the cortège leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 8:45 o'clock, proceeding to St. Andrew's Cemetery, where interment was conducted by Rev. F. Fisher Smith at 9 o'clock. Many friends were present and the casket and hearse were covered with beautiful floral offerings. The pallbearers were Messrs. C. A. Ennever, W. J. Ennever, R. E. Bewell, L. R. Pearson, C. W. Pearson and R. O. Lamb.

PIM—The remains of Mrs. Charlotte Pim will leave Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel this morning at 10 o'clock, and will be conveyed to the residence of G. Gifford, Avenue Royal Oak, where the funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock, proceeding to St. Michael's Church, Royal Oak, where service will be conducted by Rev. F. Comley at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in St. Michael's Churchyard.

MCLAUCHLAN—The funeral of Mrs. Euphemia McLauchlan was held in the United Church, Duncan, on Saturday, April 12, in the presence of many relatives and friends. Rev. W. E. B. B. officiated. An impressive service was held. The hymns sung were: "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" and "Rock of Ages." Interment was made in Somenos Cemetery. The pallbearers were: Messrs. G. Savage, J. Low, D. McKenzie, J. Paterson, R. Johnstone and P. Moir.

CRAWFORD—The funeral of Robert Wilson Crawford, who passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Wednesday last, was held yesterday afternoon from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Relations and friends attended the service, conducted by Canon F. A. P. Chadwick. The pallbearers were: Messrs. F. Salmon, R. G. Stofer, W. H. Bolton and C. Lewis. The remains were laid at rest in Royal Oak Burial Park.

PIGANIC—The death took place on Monday morning, at St. Joseph's Hospital, of Dominic Piganic, aged sixty years; born in Italy and a resident of Esquimalt for the past ten years. The remains are resting at the Sands Funeral Chapel and the time of the funeral will be announced later.

HALLIDAY—The funeral of Florence Annie Halliday will take place this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from McCallum Bros. Funeral Home. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

WALKER—The funeral of William Walker took place on Monday afternoon, proceeding from McCallum Bros. Funeral Home to St. Mary's Church, Melville, where service was conducted by Rev. F. H. Bolton. Interment was made in the churchyard, with the following as pallbearers: Messrs. J. McKay, P. Wickman, P. Snyder, J. Foster, W. Wilby and F. P. Prud'.

OKELLY—Relatives and a large gathering of friends attended the service yesterday afternoon at the Sands Funeral Chapel for Herman

Reed O'Kelly, who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital on April 9. Mrs. A. W. Stokes and "O Gentle Friends" by Rev. Peter Eddy. A profusion of flowers covered the casket and the pallbearers were Messrs. J. S. Wilson, D. V. Abbott, J. Southwell, R. V. D. Guthrie and C. Lewis, and Captain C. S. Marchant. Interment took place in Royal Oak Burial Park.

**Premier Tardieu
Has Near Escape
In Bad Accident**

(Associated Press)

PARIS, April 14.—Premier Tardieu was the near victim in an automobile accident last night, was reported today. Leaving the chamber of Deputies his car collided with a taxicab. Both conveyances were smashed, but the Premier, unhurt, walked to his hotel.

**DEATH FOLLOWS
AUTO ACCIDENT**

E. Picard Succumbs Following Accident on Esquimalt Road Saturday Night—Inquest set for

Death followed an automobile accident, which occurred on Saturday night, when Dominick Picanic, a fisherman, aged sixty, passed away on the Esquimalt Road at 10:20 o'clock Sunday morning, after sustaining a fractured skull.

Dr. E. C. Hart, city coroner, has ordered an inquest into the man's death at Sands Funeral Parlors at 10 o'clock this morning.

The accident occurred at 10:05 o'clock Saturday night at the corner of Admirals and Esquimalt Roads.

It appears that Picanic was waiting for a street car, when he was struck by an automobile proceeding west on Esquimalt Road and driven by Mr. W. Hirsch, 261 Belmont Avenue. Heavy rain at the time made visibility poor.

The injured man was rushed to St. Joseph's Hospital in the C. & C. Hospital and died about twelve hours later.

Picanic's home was on the spit in Esquimalt harbor. Police believe he has no relatives here.

**POLICE THINK
COMMERCE BANK
BANDITS TAKEN****COUNCIL PLANS TO
CELEBRATE MAY 24**

A grant of \$30 was voted last night by the Esquimalt Council to the Victoria Diamond Jubilee committee a proportionate amount of the cash surplus to be returned after the celebration.

Councillors Hadfield, Cox and Smith were appointed by the reeve to represent the council at the celebration of the diamond jubilee of the entrance of British Columbia into the Dominion, in July, 1931.

At the May 24 celebration at Esquimalt, it was decided that the school board should be asked to confer with the council on the matter, April 29 being suggested as the date for this discussion.

**OLD RESIDENT IS
CALLED BY DEATH**

Mrs. N. J. McMillan, Pioneer Since 1853, Came From Scotland in Sailing Ship

Within a few days of her seventy-seventh birthday, Mrs. Nehaleinia Jane McMillan, widow of the late William McMillan, passed away on Sunday at the residence, 1178 View Street, where the deceased lady arrived in Victoria in 1853, and has resided here ever since. She was born in Sydney, Australia, and came to Victoria with her mother, the late Mrs. William Gibbs, at the age of ten from Scotland, where she had gone from a small town. The family reached Victoria on the steamer William Morrison.

Her husband, the late William McMillan, was at one time an alderman of the city, the present clock on the City Hall having been installed through his efforts. It was referred to for years by the old-timers as McMillan's clock.

The late Mrs. McMillan attended the reunion of pioneers held at the Parliament Buildings several years ago; but since that time had led a very secluded life. The deceased lady is survived by one son, Mr. H. A. McMillan, of Sidney, B.C.; a daughter, Mrs. N. M. McMillan, at

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BISHOP WILL OFFICIATE AT HALL OPENING

Services to be Conducted by Head of Northern Diocese of Free Church in England

STAINER'S CRUCIFIXION TO BE FEATURED

Bishop Vaughan, of the Northern

Diocese of the Free Church of Eng-

land in England, arrived in Victoria

yesterday afternoon from Vancouver

and will officiate at the opening

of the Bishopbridge Memorial Hall

Wednesday afternoon, the service

to commence at 3 o'clock.

After the opening services are com-

pleted, Bishop Vaughan will ad-

dress the attending, and will be

joined by Canon Stocken, Rev. P. S. Luttrell, Rev. W. G. Stock and Rev. Mr. Burchell, of the Victoria

Reformed Episcopal Church, in

short congratulatory addresses. On

cupping seats on the platform, with

the Bishop and representatives of

the city, will be the members of

the Bishopbridge Hall building

committee.

On Wednesday evening Bishop

Vaughan will deliver a short ad-

dress, following which an augmented

choir, under the direction of Mr.

Harold Davis, conductor and organ-

ist, will sing Sainer's oratorio, "The

Crucifixion."

Bishop Vaughan will remain in

Victoria all week, and will speak on

Tuesday evening, and at the Good

Friday and Easter services in the

church. He will leave Victoria

on Tuesday next, going to Toronto

where he will remain a short stay,

and from there will proceed to

attend the Council of the Branch of

the Reformed Episcopal Church in

the United States, at Philadelphia,

before returning to England.

Fire Agreement—The City Council

last night gave final ratification to

the Oak Bay fire protection agree-

ment, and authorized the execution

thereof under the corporate seal of

the Corporation of the City of Victoria in the usual way.

White Island Points—Mr. S. J. Hall, manager of the light and power department of the Victoria and

Columbia Electric Railway, has just

turned from a tour of the Up-Island

activities of the company. He visited

Port Alberni in connection with the

light supply of that city and met

officials on the matter.

Arrangements for Haulain Street—Arr-

angements will be made for the trans-

fer of the northerly portion of lot 38, required for the extension of

Street, between Mount

Stephen Street and Empire Street,

the B.C. Electric Railway, having

expressed willingness to convey to

the city the property to permit the

improvement to be carried out.

Contract Awarded—Mr. W. H. Means, secretary of the British Columbia Agricultural Association, advised the City Council last night that the contract for constructing a portion of a new fence at the west side of the Willows Exhibition grounds for the sum of \$444 had been awarded to Mr. D. R. McCrimmon.

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Highway Purposes—A blaze in the

kitchen of a residence in the 1700

block, Haultain Street, at 10:05

o'clock Sunday morning, was ex-

tinguished by the Victoria Fire De-

partment before any great damage

resulted. Another fire, in one of the

rooms of 549 View Street, at 3

o'clock yesterday morning, was put

out without very much loss.

Highway Purposes—A by-law, to

control the City of Victoria to

acquire the Site of 38 and 39

Empire Street at the intersection of

Empire and Haultain Streets, was

passed by the City Council last

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City and District

Leave for South—Wm. S. Howe, Provincial Secretary, and Mrs. Howe, have left for the South on a motor tour.

Remaining on Mainland—Hon. N. S. Lougheed is spending a greater part of this week on the Mainland. He is accompanied by Mrs. Lougheed.

Call of Fire—The fire department was called yesterday to 2540 Work Street, where a defective chimney had caused a fire to break out, which was speedily brought under control.

Lease Granted—The City Council last night granted a lease of the building containing the Royal Athletic Club to Mr. W. J. Cull for the balance of 19

Social and Personal

Personals, Parties Visitors

Wedding Celebration

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wollaston celebrated their golden wedding yesterday at the home, 1731 Oak Bay Avenue. During the afternoon a large number of friends called to express their good wishes, and many a lovely flower were received by the host and hostess. The dining-room, where tea was served, was charmingly arranged in a color scheme of white and gold, long streamers from the chandelier, and a profusion of primroses and daffodils being used very effectively. Mrs. Wollaston's son, a student, received her friends by his sister, Miss Raine, who was her bridesmaid at her wedding fifty years ago. Other members of the family who were here for the reception were: Mr. and Mrs. Wollaston's sons-in-law and daughters, Dr. and Mrs. Shepherd and Mr. and Mrs. P. Atkinson, and their daughter of Kelowna; Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Wollaston and Mrs. Jasper Williams, of Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. Warren, E. Teage and B. King.

Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Senkler, Oak Bay Avenue, Oak Bay, entertained about fifty guests at tea on Saturday afternoon in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Hume Cronyn, of Toronto, who are spending a month at the Beach Hotel. The tea table was arranged with daffodils and Spring greenery, and was decorated over with Miss Nellie Duont and Miss Marjorie Rowan. Songs by Madame Claudet and Miss Violet Wilson, with Mrs. A. R. Green, Mrs. Jack Bell and Mrs. Senkler, as accompanists, added to the pleasure of the guests.

At Cadboro Beach Hotel

Guests registered at the Cadboro Beach Hotel during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Paul McMichael, Seattle; Mr. W. A. Russell, Vancouver; Mr. C. R. McGill, Shawinigan. Noticed at tea were Mr. and Mrs. Way, North China; Mrs. Gordon Hansen, Miss Marjory Hill and Miss Thomas, all of Victoria.

Surprise Party

Mrs. L. W. Cox and Mrs. J. Hedley entertained a few friends at bridge on Friday evening, at their home on Richardson Street, as a surprise party for Mr. Hedley and Mr. Cox. A buffet supper was served. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. N.

Mah Jong Tea

Mr. A. A. Warden, Fraser Street, entertained, with two tables of men, on Saturday afternoon, with a few additional guests for tea, in farewell to Mrs. R. V. Bessette. Beautiful Spring flowers were arranged throughout the house.

To Leave for South

Mrs. and Mrs. Waugh Wyllie will arrive from New York at the beginning of the week, and after spending a few days at the Coast will leave for California.

Return to Coast

Mrs. Richard Wyllie has returned home after spending the last three months in Montreal and New York, and will later spend a few days in Victoria.

To Return Today

Mrs. Leonard Andrews and Miss Tolmie, who went over to Vancouver on Sunday to meet Miss Tolmie's fiancé, Mr. John St. Clair Harvey, who has arrived from England, are expected back today.

Return From Rosland

Mrs. Theo Miles, accompanied by her daughter, Annabelle, has returned from Rosland, B.C., where she has been visiting for the past three weeks.

Return to Victoria

Hon. N. S. Lougheed and Mrs. Lougheed (formerly Miss Anne Brown), have returned from the honeymoon in the East.

At Prospect Lake

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McArthur, of Alberni Street, are spending a month at their summer home at Prospect Lake.

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Island Social Notes

Nanoo Bay

Mrs. M. J. Williams is visiting Mrs. Day, of Cook Street, Victoria, over Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sherwood have returned home after a short visit to Vancouver.

Mr. C. Heather made a short trip to Vancouver this week.

Miss Claudet has been staying at the Dominion Hotel, Victoria, for a few weeks.

Mr. Peter Fulton, father-in-law of Mr. J. Thompson, of Dawson Road, who disappeared last Thursday evening was found Saturday morning by J. Weightill, near Beaver Creek. He was alone the worse for his adventure, in spite of the fact that the police and a troop of Boy Scouts were also searching for him.

Mr. Dawson, late of Nootka Lighthouse, has taken over the duties of Mr. Hunting, of Balens Lighthouse, the latter being transferred to Carmanah.

Mr. F. G. Claudet returned home on Wednesday, having spent the last three months in Victoria.

Mr. Edgar Heard, late of Straits Lumber Co., has gone to reside in Alberta.

Mr. George MacLeod, late of Port Arthur, has purchased the Arlington Hotel from Mr. T. H. Gardner. Mr. and Mrs. Gardner will leave for a trip to California in the near future.

Miss Donna White, whose marriage will take place shortly, was the maid of honor at a miscellaneous show held recently at the home of Mrs. Frank Tippin, 1000 Beach Drive. During the evening the guest of honor was presented with a silver sandwich tray by Mr. T. Prisk, on behalf of the choir of Centennial Church, of which Miss White is a member. Miss White and Mrs. Thomas poured tea and coffee at supper and Spring flowers were used with charming effect in the reception rooms.

Mr. A. A. Warden, Fraser Street, entertained, with two tables of men, on Saturday afternoon, with a few additional guests for tea, in farewell to Mrs. R. V. Bessette. Beautiful Spring flowers were arranged throughout the house.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Golding had as their guest last week, Mrs. Harrod, of Vancouver, formerly of Cutchendale, Sask., where they were married thirty years ago. This was her first visit to Qualicum Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bartlett and son left Nanaimo on Thursday.

Mrs. D. Jones has rented her house on the crescent for five months to Mrs. Hart and children, of Vancouver.

Mrs. A. V. Watson is a patient at the Nanaimo Hospital. She is improving and hopes to be soon soon to return to Qualicum Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Connolly, with two sons, from school, and baby, have arrived at their summer home for the Easter holidays.

Mrs. A. R. McLeod, of Vancouver, has taken Colonel Playfair's beach residence for the month of June.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey, of Vancouver, and Mr. and Mrs. Mann, also of Vancouver, have taken Miss H. Jarvis' beach houses for the summer, one of the houses being rented for Easter week.

The Provincial Police who will be on duty at Qualicum for the summer, have taken a building on the townsite as their headquarters.

Comrades D. Shaw, F. Horne, J. Smith, F. Bagnai, H. Jarvis and A. Douglas, who were members of the 7th Battalion in the First British Columbia Regiment, in the Qualicum Beach district, are invited to a luncheon dinner to be held at the Hotel Georgia in Vancouver on May 3.

Master Peters Davidson, who is attending school at Shawinigan Lake, is home for Easter. Mrs. Madeline Peter Lynch, eldest son of Dr. and Mrs. A. Lynch, of Saskatoon, who is also at Shawinigan Lake, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Campbell Davidson for the holidays. On Friday evening Mrs. Davidson invited a number of friends to tea. The pink hunt or again may deepen into a shade of rose border on rose, but regardless of the tint it is a shade of its fashion popularity as long as it is pink. One shade recently introduced by an eminent Paris couturier is a lively opaline rose, and already it is accepted as an outstanding success.

The pink in this opening rose that develops the lovely feminine frock sketched above. A bijou bodice suggests the bolero that is seen on practically all the new frocks. An artistic manner of introducing the popular touch of black and white pink is discovered here in the black tulip band around the decolleté and the wide border at the hemline.

Sayward

Mr. M. Lougheed left Sayward on Saturday last for Vancouver, after spending the past few days at Sayward.

Mr. E. Lemmink returned to New Westminster on Wednesday from Sayward.

Mr. J. E. Armishaw spent the past week at his home at Sayward, and returned to his organization work on Wednesday last.

Mrs. E. E. Gark returned to Sayward on Saturday's boat from Vancouver after a long stay.

Mr. Clifford Hole returned to Sayward on Tuesday from Vancouver after spending the past few days in the valley.

Galiano

On Tuesday a church social was given in the Galiano Hall, parties coming from Pender. The stage was prettily arranged with masses of Spring flowers. An enthusiastic audience greeted Rev. R. Symes,

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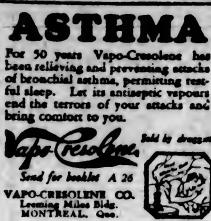
The girl friend says that what with long hair and rumble-seat both becoming so popular, the highway will soon be sprinkled with hairpins.

Kitty McKay

BY NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

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LEADING MEN IN INDIA ARE SENT TO JAIL

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Five other arrests were made for violation of the Salt Law.

MEETINGS PROHIBITED

After a convention of Sepuatis at Calcutta, the British prohibited all public meetings and processions without licences. Three Nationalists meetings were dispersed.

As a preliminary to the picketing of liquor shops at Bhimad tomorrow, thirty women volunteers marched through the village chanting a slogan against the Salt Law.

The marchers approached one liquor shop and implored the men and women patrons to drink the blood of the volunteers rather than liquor. One woman threw away her drink, but the men placidly drank their glasses. The anti-liquor campaign began yesterday. Mme. Gandhi and Mme. Auras Tyabji picketing dispensaries at Jalalpur and Olpad.

Leader of the battle against the Government Salt Tax, Gandhi will go to Umbra tomorrow for a mass civil disobedience meeting.

GANDHI GIVES WARNING

JALALPUR, India, April 14.—Speaking to a large meeting of volunteers, Mahatma Gandhi yesterday threatened to use "passive resistance" against his own followers if they caused any sort of violence during the present disobedience movement. He said: "I would observe an eternal fast" if they did not live up to the spirit of his nonviolence precept.

Gandhi solemnly asked the men to refrain strictly from participating in the Nationalist picketing of shops selling liquor and electrical goods. Violence should result. In an earlier address to a gathering of women, he said that such work was for women, because they could stand being beaten instead of beating others.

Though India had a right to offer violence, he said, it was not his way.

WORK OF WOMEN

Addressing a gathering of women, the Nationalist leader told them that in the nonco-operation movement of 1921 he had made the mistake of entrusting to men the picketing of shops selling liquors and foreign cloths. Such work, he explained, was the work of women, because it would be violence, whereas women could stand being beaten.

He announced, therefore, that from today women would begin picketing liquor shops at Bhimad. A number of women volunteers immediately enlisted for this service.

Premier is Coming

CHARLOTTETOWN, P.E.I., April 14.—Hon. A. C. Saunders, Premier of Prince Edward Island, accompanied by Mrs. Saunders and daughter, left today on a trip to the Pacific Coast.

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FIGHTS FOR LIFE

Child Is Critically Injured by School Lawn Roller

Harvey Webster, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Webster, 3131 Main Street, is fighting for his life in the St. Joseph's Hospital, following a severe injury suffered when a heavy lawn roller passed over him yesterday afternoon. According to Dr. Walter Bapty, the attending physician, little hope is held for his recovery.

As far as can be ascertained, the principal events, the day and hour and directly in front of a classroom and directly in front of the lawn roller, while the wheels were being rolled, at Quadra School yesterday afternoon. The accident happened so quickly that it is not known whether there were any eye-witnesses. The heavy roller passed over the child's head.

The boy was carried into the school and attended by Dr. Bapty, who was summoned immediately.

The date of the pageant and the Crystal Garden frolic are not yet settled.

OLD BOYS' REUNION

Mr. Sylvester announced that the Central School Old Boys' reunion would set out on May 23 with a banquet and dance at the Empress Inn the evening of May 23. They would have no more food in the parade and a large number of motor cars representing the respective years at which the Old Boys had attended the school. On the afternoon of May 23 they would have a civil tournament and motor car race.

They would also have a presentation in any way that might be suggested.

Representatives of the Rotarians, Kiwanians, Native Daughters, Girl Scouts and other bodies were offered their assistance. Prizes for sports from school children on some topic connected with the day having been suggested by Mr. McCall, representatives of the various ex-service organizations undertook to provide the trophies.

THE PAGEANT

Chairman Miles, in introducing Mr. L. C. Besant, who will be in charge of the pageant, said that Mr. Besant, who had recently arrived from Halifax, Nova Scotia, had directed a number of pageants and the committee was fortunate in securing his services. They had made thorough inquiries and had found that he had an excellent reputation. Tributes to his work as a public utility and an organizer of pageants of outstanding merit had been received not only from Nova Scotia but from various Eastern provinces and Eastern states, from which many visitors had been attracted by the pageants.

Mr. Besant mentioned that at the last pageant in Nova Scotia there had been a paid admission of \$35,000. This was an illustration of the attractiveness that might be given to the pageant.

He could promise them that the forthcoming pageant would be well attended.

Co-operation of the schools of the neighboring municipalities was invited.

While no one younger than the seventh grade in the public schools would be entered in the pageant, and while the first of the older grades and of the high schools would form the nucleus, yet he hoped for volunteers of all ages from outside the schools. In answer to a question he said that only two forty-five-minute sessions per week for training would be required.

A representative of the J.B.A.A. said that they had about one hundred girl members and asked if their participation would be desired. Mr. Besant replied cordially inviting it.

SIDE-LIGHTS

Major Rowson, for the Yacht Club, announced that the races for the Virtue Cup would take place in the morning of May 24, off Beacon Hill Park, this being required by the deed of gift.

M. Eve suggested that planes be invited from Vancouver and Seattle to give sightseeing trips from Langford field.

Mr. Findlay, in describing the plans of the Model Aircraft Association, said the contests to be held would be for the championship of the city, the winner thus qualifying to enter for the provincial championship to be held in July. There would be an indoor meet and an outdoor meet.

MUSIC WITH FIREWORKS

Mr. McCall and Captain Alcock advocated music as an accompaniment to the display of fireworks. Captain Alcock hoped it would be possible to have some massed singing from the school children. That was something that people would like to listen to. The suggestion met with general approval, and arrangements were made to have it carried into effect if at all possible.

Now comes the information to the Forestry Branch of the Department of Lands in British Columbia, from E. H. Findlay, son, director of forestry, and the Department of the Interior at Ottawa, that two parties will be sent to British Columbia, starting work in May and continuing throughout the season. Each of these parties will be composed of eight men. Their work will be along the line of testing out the annual average increment in the forest growth of the province.

This particular line of work was one that, since the time when he has not been able to give a more exact estimate as it would have liked owing to the cost. The two parties will materially assist therefore in this line.

The location of the two parties has been set. One of them will be engaged in the Central Coast section south of Ocean Falls, in what is known to the Forestry Branch as the hemlock-cedar area. The other will be engaged alone Johnstone Strait in what is known as the fir-cedar-hemlock area.

TESTING METHODS

In the carrying out of this work modern science has devised many new methods of expediting and ensuring accuracy in the testing of tree growth. In this a simple little auger with a hollow shaft, and so constructed that a portion of the wood bored into it is retained in the exact formation of the wood tissue is utilized. This shows the rings formed by each year's growth and so, by taking a number of typical trees, the average growth is easily arrived at for any recent term of years.

The parties which are coming from the Dominion department will be engaged in large part in the estimation of the rate of growth of the trees throughout the sections covered. It is thus an easy matter when enough of such exact information is arrived at, coupled with the area of land timbered, and the quantity of timber upon it, to find just what is the increase within

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By COUNT LEO TOLSTOY

There was a young and prosperous merchant named Ivan, who was full of fun and loved to have a good time. He even drank a good deal before he was married, but after he had a wife he drank only once in a while. Then one Summer, as he was on his way to the fair, his wife begged him not to go because she had had a bad dream about him.

"I dreamed that when you came back," said Ivan's wife, "you had grey hair."

But Ivan only laughed, calling her a superstitious goose. He said it was really a lucky sign, if anything. So he drove away.

Putting up at an inn, he spent the evening with a friend, another merchant. They slept in adjoining rooms. But Ivan got up before dawn, to go to the fair. It was still dark, and he had to walk the long miles to the landlord, and went his way.

Twenty-six miles or so further on, when Ivan stopped to rest and feed his horse, he was accosted by an officer of the law. He was asked all sorts of questions—why had he left the inn before dawn, and so on. But Ivan was innocent, and he paid the landlord, and went his way.

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From then Ivan learned that his wife was dead, and he was alone, though their father was in exile. He supposed that they had already forgotten him. Then the new convict, whose name was Makar, learned why Ivan was there and laughed. From that moment Ivan knew that Makar was the one who had come to the mines for him. Ivan had suffered twenty-six long years of slavery and exile.

One night Ivan caught Makar making a tunnel to escape. He would put the dirt in his high boots and empty it on the roads next day when the prisoners were on the march. Makar said he would help him to escape, and he told him nothing about the tunnel. But the guards discovered the tunnel—though they did not know who made it.

The guards asked everyone who

made the tunnel, but few knew, and those who knew would not tell, for they knew that if Makar were found out he would be dogged within an iron of life. Then the guards asked Ivan, thinking he could not lie.

"I cannot tell," said Ivan. "It is not God's will I should tell. Do what you will with me, but I cannot tell."

And they could not make Ivan talk, no matter what they tried. So when he lay alone on his cot that night, Ivan heard someone come stealthily in. It was Makar.

"What do you want?" asked Ivan.

"Ivan," said Makar, after a silence, "forgive me!"

"Why should I forgive you?" demanded Ivan.

"Because I am the man who killed the merchant and placed the bloody knife in your wife's hand," said Makar. "I would have killed you also but I heard a voice and was frightened."

Competent astrologers were able, by their intuition for lack of knowledge of the undiscovered planet's location in the sky, but that the best of them were occasionally

misled, and the most conscientious passed unfounded

warnings. Planet X affords a perfect

alibi for such celebrated astrological

claims as the statement of Evangeline

Adams to ship news reporters, six

weeks before the death of President

Harding, that she found him "safe

and under happy auspices."

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schemes fall, partners shun each

other into the business troubles

common, friends turn false and talk

about you behind your back, kings

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Mrs. Aldrich, who is the editor of

The New York Astrologer, said that

Planet X, according to very careful

reckoning, which she had made dur-

ing an afternoon, was the New York

astrologer who controlled the destiny

of this city, because it was

having a great influence on the history

of North America. She pointed out

that generations of study might be

necessary to understand it thor-

oughly, because eighty-four years

had elapsed since the discovery of

Neptune and its influence was still

imperfectly understood.

ASTROLOGERS ARE ALL FUSSED UP

Discovery of New Planet Explains "Interference" in Forecasting Operations

NEW YORK, April 9.—Astrologers like Elizabeth Aldrich, the Rev. Arthur W. Brooks, Evangeline Adams and Jacob M. Levie welcome the finding of the ninth planet because it puts them in possession of the unknown factor which, like jacks running wild in a poker game, has been ravaging all their calculations, causing predictions of a market break just before a rise and a rise just before a break, and that sort of thing.

Mrs. Aldrich said she was confident the new planet would enable her to forecast with 95 per cent accuracy from 30 to 40 or 45 per cent. The new planet was identified by several astrologers having a terrific effect on world conditions, and the fact that it was unknown was the reason why they had been unable to predict the little item of the World War.

NEED REVISION

One thing that stood out strongly was that tens of thousands of horoscopes will be in serious need of immediate revision. The money, love and long life prospects of those born in the sign of Gemini (May 21-June 21) and Virgo (August 23-September 22) are now expected to be thrown into confusion by the new planet. The worst part is that it may take 100 years to discover just how the new planet works, and most of those born in these unfortunate periods will have experienced their fatal long before any honest astrologer will be in a position to predict them.

Jacob M. Levie said, with a broken voice, that people born on or near July 4 have their horoscopes pretty badly shattered by the new planet.

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RELATIONS WITH SOVIET RESTART

Labor Government Announces New Negotiations Completed With Soviet Government

(Canadian Press Cable)

LONDON, April 14.—Hon. Hugh Dalton, Under-secretary for Foreign Affairs, announced yesterday that today negotiations had been completed for a trade arrangement with Soviet Russia which would remain pending conclusion of a full Anglo-Soviet treaty.

The arrangements provide for mutual recognition of each other in respect of trade and, with certain special exceptions, in respect of shipping, as between the two countries, the under-secretary explained.

The agreement also gives the Soviet Government the right to establish its trade mission in London, consisting of the Soviet trade representatives and two deputies from the Soviet Embassy.

Conservative critics of "Shame" interrupted Mr. Dalton when he added these three trading representatives would be accorded special privileges.

The offices of the former Russian trading concern had been raided under orders of the former Conservative Government before the break in relations with Russia.

Immediately it was attached to the negotiations, and was used exclusively for commercial purposes, Mr. Dalton said. The privileges, however, would not apply to court proceedings in respect of commercial transactions.

The agreement was a temporary one, subject to cancellation after six months' notice, Mr. Dalton concluded.

End Gambling Houses

PARIS, April 14.—The Chamber of Deputies yesterday voted unanimously to abolish all gambling houses in Paris. The decision was made after Parliament had refused to ratify the Senate's bill for reopening the Casino, five miles from the city. The casino had been closed since the war.

Brussels, Belgium, will have an International Cinema Congress next June.



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VICTORIA STATE IS STRONGLY WET

MELBOURNE, Aus., April 14.—The final count on the question of whether the State of Victoria should go wet or dry showed today that the drys had 419,000 votes and the wets 652,286. It was a record poll, with ballots cast by 96 per cent of those entitled to vote.

The election, held March 29, was a compulsory referendum on extension of the prohibition of alcoholic liquor throughout the state which is the second largest in Australia.

A three-fifths majority would have been necessary for prohibition.

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by contract with the Postal Department between Montreal and New York, and Montreal and Toronto. The latter route was extended to Windsor and Detroit in July, 1929. Mails by these services can be delivered in Chicago before the carrier who brings them down to Chicago. What this means to the future of the St. Lawrence route is obvious, particularly when it is remembered that mail can reach the central parts of the United States, when flown from the mouth of the St. Lawrence, far quicker than it can be by being sent by steamer to New York.

NIGHT SERVICE

With Canada's future growth and prosperity closely linked up with aviation, no country in the world today has benefited more from flying than the Dominion, declared J. A. Wilson, controller of civil aviation for the Dominion of Canada, adding that the Men's Association of the First Baptist Church at a banquet at Montreal. Speaking on "The Progress of Civil Aviation," Mr. Wilson pointed out that the Canadian Government had done a great deal to create a greater degree of efficiency than have other governments in their respective countries, and that it is today the duty of the Canadian public strongly to support the Government's efforts to link the entire Dominion from coast to coast, from the far north to the American boundary line, by air.

PUBLIC APATHY

Public apathy greeted aviation in Canada at the close of the war, Mr. Wilson stated, and people were first in the belief that the aeroplane was but a war instrument and of little civil value. The first important gift to aviation was that loan of the Federal Government, when it aided aeronautic surveillance of the vast stretches of Canadian forests. Foresters quickly realized the value of the aeroplane both in the exploring of the Canadian forests, and in the new valuable forest lands and in the protection of forests from fires. At Grandmère, in 1920, machines, donated by the Canadian Government in co-operation with the Quebec Government, which donated \$10,000, the Laurentide Paper & Paper Company, which furnished the crews, set out to take part in aerial exploration and protection of the forests. This spirit of co-operation, so important to Canada, has continued to be displayed with excellent results.

Surveyors also realized the advantages of aviation. Mr. Wilson continued, and saw the possibilities of aeroplanes opening up to them vast, new, unexplored territories. Their visions were widened as a result, and today aviation has greatly assisted in the gigantic task of survey. In the opening up of rich mineral fields in the Northlands was the aeroplane proved of particular use. Geologists and mining men hastened to adapt flying to their particular needs, with the result that territories which were practically inaccessible were opened up, and new mineral fields discovered, developed and fostered.

AIR TRAFFIC

It was not until 1927 that any attempt was made to organize regular lines of air traffic between the principal cities. The success of such services in the United States and Europe and the growing demand for air mail brought about by the success of the Northern operations, has made it possible for the Government to institute, during the last three years, many regular air mail services. The first air mails served remote districts to which the shipping sailing in service was slow and uncertain. Contracts were let for mail services to points on the shores of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, to the Magdalen Islands, to Anticosti, in the Yukon and Mackenzie Valleys, and to many of the newly-formed flying towns in the Northwest Territories. These services have been fully justified, and the benefit they bring to these remote communities cannot be exaggerated.

Hastening British incoming and outgoing mails was the next step, the first airmail service was started and now put ashore at Rimbouski and flown to Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto, thence to Rimbouski to catch the outgoing steamers. In October, 1928, daily air mails were instituted

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With openwork clocks. A pair \$1.25
Chiffon Lisle Hose of fine appearance and very durable; full fashioned, with well-reinforced square heels. Many shades. Sizes 8½ to 10. A pair \$1.50

Ankle Socks, a Pair, 69¢

Very neat for street or sports wear; medium weight and plain all silk; fancy turn-down cuffs. All shades and plain white. Sizes 8½ to 10. A pair 69¢
—Hosiery, Main Floor

CHILDREN'S SPRING HOSIERY

"Little Daisy" Wool Hose with long straight legs, in one-and-one rib style. Shades of fawn, Airedale, French nude, cream and brown and black.
Sizes 4 to 5½. A pair 50¢
Sizes 6 to 7½. A pair 65¢
Sizes 8 to 10. A pair 79¢
Wool Golf Hose, heavy and medium weights; rib style with fancy colored turn-down tops. All shades. Sizes 5½ to 10. A pair 59¢
—Children's Hosiery, Lower Main Floor



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Knitted Suits with Cardigan or pullover style coats. Skirts in pleated effects. Three-piece style. Shades are green, lemon, blue, beige, orchid, rose, brown; black and white.

\$25.00 and \$35.00

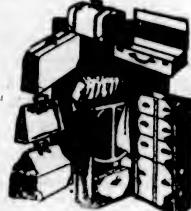
—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor



Baggage For Easter Vacation Trips

McBride Aeropack Cases, strong but light; compact with large capacity; black or brown.

\$11.00 to \$18.75



Week-End Cases, keratol-covered all-wood frames; has mirror in back; 14-inch \$4.75

English Leather Attache Cases \$4.25

English Leather Attache Cases, on steel frame; 16 and 18-inch sizes. Priced according to size, \$6.75 and \$10.00

Suits Cases of keratol-covered wood frames; black or brown; 26 inches \$4.00

Suit Cases, black or brown, draw bolts and straps, reinforced corners; 26-inch \$6.75

English Fibre Cases, light and strong, reinforced corners; brown only. Sizes 20, 22 and 24 inches. Priced according to size at \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50

Ladies' Patent Leather Hat Boxes, neatly lined; black, brown and russet, with keratol binding; 18-inch \$4.25

The same Case with hat form and leather binding; 18-inch \$4.95

Club Bags, black, brown or russet imitation leather and real cowhide; 18 and 20-inch \$4.75

—Baggage, Main Floor

Smart New Silks For Spring Apparel

36-Inch Floral Marquise for afternoon dresses. Light and dark grounds. A yard

\$1.98

36-Inch Figured Art Silks, fast colors and very attractive patterns. A yard

98¢

40-Inch Figured Ninons of strong texture and well finished. A yard

\$2.25

36-Inch Silk Pique makes up into ideal dresses. Fast colors. A yard

\$1.25

28-Inch Brocade Rayon, a material suitable for linings or kimonos. A yard

59¢

36-Inch Figured Crepe, a material that launders well and makes up attractively. A yard

\$2.75



Wash Materials

For Spring Dresses for Ladies or Children

36-Inch Fine Voiles in floral designs. A yard

29¢ to 98¢

36-Inch Peter Pan Prints, in exclusive novelty designs. A yard

59¢

Plain Color Broadcloths, 36 inches wide. All shades. A yard

29¢, 59¢ and 98¢

Printed Pique in conventional patterns and floral designs. A yard

59¢

36-Inch Fast-Color Prints, patterned with stripes or in floral effects. A yard

39¢

Figured Suitings for Spring ensembles. 36 inches wide. A yard

39¢

Printed Lawns in small designs or border effects. A yard

49¢ and 69¢

Ratines in plain colors or block designs. 36 inches wide. A yard

59¢ and 69¢

—Wash Goods, Main Floor

Lighter Weight Underwear for Men

Watson's Spring Needle Elastic Rib Cream or Natural Shirts and Drawers, short or long sleeves, short or ankle-length legs. A garment

\$1.00

Combinations with short sleeves and legs or long sleeves and ankle length. A suit

\$1.75

No. 269 Natural Spring Needle Elastic Rib Wool Mixture Shirts and Drawers, long or short sleeves, draw-ers ankle length. A garment

\$1.25

Combinations as above, short sleeves and ankle length. A suit

\$1.95

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor



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